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Message from the Director

With the beginning of the 2006/07 academic year, we also enter the first year of a renewed SDF. As this newsletter suggests, it promises to be an interesting first few months.

The fall also means that we welcome new members to our team in the Directorate of Public Policy that works with you, the SDF Community.

Ms Sara Fortin has moved on to a new assignment with the Directorate of Arms and Proliferation Control Policy – her files will be handled by Ms Anne Therrien who joins the Policy Officer Development Programme from Foreign Affairs and the University of Montreal. Ms Jennifer James is now working with the Ministerial Speechwriting Section. Her replacement – Ms Jamie Gibson – joins the Policy Officer Development Programme from McMaster University.

In coming weeks, members of the Directorate of Public Policy will be making plans to visit SDF Centres and other universities across the country to discuss the SDF, and to brief interested students and faculty on the Policy Officer Development Programme.

I enjoyed seeing many of you at the Fall SDF Conference in Kingston.

Enjoy the autumn.

Aaron Hywarren
Director of Public Policy

Events & Conferences

26 September 2006

The Centre for Foreign Policy Studies, Dalhousie University held a presentation on *Decision-making in Canada's Government in International Crises* by Cdr (ret'd) Bob Edwards. Poli Sci Lounge, 3rd Floor, Henry Hicks Academic Administration Building. For more information, contact Dave Perry at dgperry@dal.ca.

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Brigadier Milton F. Gregg, VC, Centre for Study of War and Society

The new Centre at the University of New Brunswick was officially named the Brigadier Milton F. Gregg, VC, Centre for the Study of War and Society on 12 September 2006. Brigadier Gregg was a well-known New Brunswick-born soldier, educator and politician/diplomat. He won the Victoria Cross in September 1918 while with the Royal Canadian Regiment at Marcoing Line. After the Great War, he went on to serve as President of the University of New Brunswick, Minister of Veterans' Affairs, Canada's representative at the UN, and the Honorary Colonel of The Royal Canadian Regiment.



From left to right Col Mike Jorgensen, Commander, Combat Training Centre Galetown, Aaron Hywarren, Directorate of Public Policy, NDHQ, LtGen Ken Pennie (Ret'd), Gregg Centre National Council, Dr. Marc Milner, Director, Gregg Centre, Dr. James Murray, Dean of Arts, UNB, at the opening of the Gregg Centre on 12 September 2006 (photo credit: Lee Ellen Pottier)

The Centre was formed by the amalgamation of the former Centre for Conflict Studies and the Military and Strategic Studies Programme at the University of New Brunswick. Its new mandate is three-fold: the study of war and society; the history of the Canadian Army; and, fostering public awareness of New Brunswick's military heritage. Among their many programmes are the publication of "The Journal of Conflict Studies" and the book series of the New Brunswick Military Heritage Project, a very active teaching programme, a lecture and conference series, and battlefield tours.

27 September 2006

The Queen's Centre for International Relations (QCIR) seminar took place and the guest speaker was Dr. Oded Haklai, Professor of Political Studies, Queen's, who spoke on "West Bank Settlements, and the Middle East Crisis." For more information, contact QCIR at qcir@post.queensu.ca

28-30 September 2006

The 2006 Maritime Security Challenges Conference, hosted by Maritime Forces Pacific, Canada's West Coast Fleet, was held in Victoria, British Columbia. For more information, visit http://members.shaw.ca/mapac/msc_2006.html.

4 October 2006

The Centre for Foreign Policy Studies, Dalhousie University, is inviting Major Sanchez King to speak on "Draining the Swamp: Civil-Military Cooperation in the Kandahar Provincial Reconstruction Team." For more information, contact Dave Perry at dgperry@dal.ca.

10 October 2006

The United Nations Association in Canada is holding a seminar entitled "Security and Development: Building Secure and Prosperous Societies" in Winnipeg. For more information visit www.unac.org

11 October 2006

The *Groupe d'étude et de recherche sur la sécurité internationale* is inviting Gill



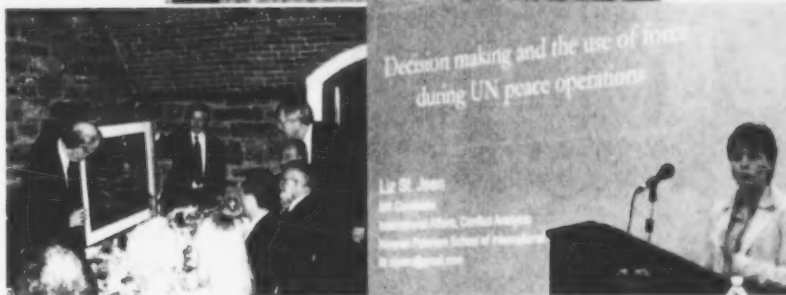
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SDF Annual Fall Conference "Canadian Security and Defence Studies: In Transformation?"



The Queen's Centre for International Relations and the School of Policy Studies Chair in Defence Management hosted the Annual SDF Fall Conference in Kingston from 20-22 September



In addition to panels on the state of security and defence studies in Canada, there was a visit to the Peace Support Training Centre at CFB Kingston for a briefing and demonstration. As well, there was an 1812 Garrison Mess Dinner at historic Fort Henry at which Dr. Kenneth Calder, former Assistant Deputy Minister (Policy), was the honoured guest. For more information, please contact qcir@post.queensu.ca/

questions périphériques ». The event will take place at the Université de Montréal. For information, contact GERSI at gersi@umontreal.ca.

Green, doctoral candidate in geography, McGill University, to discuss "Territory and Conflict." The event will take place at McGill University. For information, contact GERSI at gersi@umontreal.ca.

11 October 2006

The Centre for Foreign Policy Studies, Dalhousie University, is inviting Harold Foster, US Consul General in Halifax to speak on "The Ins and Outs of Border Security." For more information, contact Dave Perry at dgpry@dal.ca.

12-13 October 2006

The University of New Brunswick is holding a conference entitled "Countering Global Insurgency: International Perspectives on a Global Problem" at CFB Gagetown. For more information visit www.unb.ca

13 October 2006

The *Centre d'études de politique étrangères et de sécurité* (CEPES), UQAM, in collaboration with the *Chaire de recherche du Canada en politique étrangère et de défense canadiennes* is organizing an international conference on transatlantic relations entitled: « Le Canada, les États-Unis, L'Union européenne et l'avenir de la relation transatlantique ». The event will take place at UQAM, Montréal. For more information, contact Charles Létourneau at cepes@uqam.ca.

13 October 2006

The *Groupe d'étude et de recherche sur la sécurité internationale* is inviting Mr. Yves Brodeur, Canadian Ambassador in Turkey to talk about « La mise à jour sur la situation en Turquie et les

18 October 2006

In collaboration with the Réseau Francophone sur les Opérations de Paix (ROP), the *Groupe d'étude et de recherche sur la sécurité internationale* is hosting a roundtable featuring Roland Marchal to discuss « Le conflit au Darfour ». The event will take place at the Université de Montréal. For information, contact the GERSI at gersi@umontreal.ca.

18 October 2006

The Centre for Foreign Policy Studies, Dalhousie University, is inviting Major Dawn Hewitt, USAF, Dalhousie History Department PhD candidate to discuss "US Assistance to African Peacekeeping." For more information, contact Dave Perry at dgperry@dal.ca.

19 October 2006

The *Groupe d'étude et de recherche sur la sécurité internationale* is inviting Roland Marchal from the *Centre d'études et de recherches internationales*, Paris, to discuss "Back from the field : Discussion on Sudan and Somalia" at McGill University. Please, contact GERSI at gersi@umontreal.ca for information.

19-20 October 2006

Chaire Raoul-Dandurand is holding a conference entitled « Les attentats du 11 septembre 2001 : 5 ans plus tard » in Montréal. For more information visit www.dandurand.uqam.ca

19-20 October 2006

The Royal Military College of Canada is holding a conference « Régionalismes et sécurité internationale » in Kingston. For more information visit www.rmc.ca

20-21 October 2006

UNA-Canada's 50th Anniversary of UN Peacekeeping project and the Queen's Centre for International Relations (QCIR) are hosting a public forum and roundtable on "Canadian strategies for rapid response to crises." The public forum will take place 7 pm, October 20, with the roundtable being held at 9 am, October 21. For more information, contact QCIR at qcir@post.queensu.ca.

24 October 2006

The United Nations Association in Canada is holding a conference entitled "Sustainable Approaches to Peacekeeping and Exit Strategies" in Edmonton. For more information visit www.unac.org

Conference: "Foreign Policy Under a Conservative Government: An Interim Report Card"



Canadian Defence
& Foreign Affairs
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The Canadian Defence and Foreign Affairs Institute (CDFAI) 2006 Annual Conference will evaluate the government's record on foreign policy, defence and development. The Conference will include panel discussions and an interactive debate. The results of a national public opinion poll will be released at the conference on these themes. It will take place in Ottawa on Monday 30 October at the Crowne Plaza Hotel. To register, visit the conference website: www.peopleware.net/1540

25 October 2006

The Centre for Foreign Policy Studies, Dalhousie University, is inviting Brian Bow to talk on "Current Canada – United States Relations". For more information, contact Dave Perry at dgperry@dal.ca.

26-28 October 2006

The Canadian Association for Security and Intelligence Studies (CASIS) 21st International Conference will take place in Ottawa, Ontario in the International Ballroom of the Crowne Plaza Hotel. The conference is Canada's premier event for those interested in the study of intelligence and national security issues. One of the key events of the annual conference is the Tait memorial lecture, which will be delivered by Mr. Jim Judd, Director of the Canadian Security Intelligence Service. The admission for CASIS members is

\$235 and \$335 for non-members. For conference inquiries, please contact the Secretariat (secretariat@casis.ca) or the website www.casis.ca.



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The Conference of Defence Associations Institute's Annual Graduate Student Symposium entitled "Security and Defence: National and International Issues" will be held in Kingston from 26-28 October. For more information please visit www.cda-cdai.ca.

1 November 2006

The United Nations Association in Canada is holding a seminar "Complementing UN's Efforts in Peace Support: UN, Regional Organizations and Coalitions" in Toronto. For more information visit www.unac.org

2-4 November 2006

The Centre for Military and Strategic Studies (CMSS) organizes a conference on "NATO Transformation - Realignment for the Future." The event will take place in Calgary. For more information, please contact Shelly Wind at wind@ucalgary.ca.

3-4 November 2006

The Réseau francophone de recherche sur les opérations de paix is hosting in Montréal a conference entitled « L'héritage de Lester B. Pearson: 50 ans d'opérations de paix ». Contact Marc-André Boivin at maboivin@operationspaix.net for more information.

5-6 November 2006

The Laurier Centre for Military Strategic and Disarmament Studies is holding a workshop on "Canada in Afghanistan: An Interim Report" in Waterloo. For more information visit www.canadianmilitaryhistory.com

10 November 2006

The Centre d'études des politiques étrangères et de sécurité (CEPES), UQAM, and the Réseau francophone de recherche sur les opérations de paix will hold the student colloquium « Les opérations de paix : de Suez à Kandahar » at UQAM, Montréal, QC. For more information, contact Charles Létourneau at cepes@uqam.ca.

10-11 November 2006

The Chaire Hector-Fabre d'histoire du Québec at UQAM is hosting at the Citadelle of Quebec city a conference entitled : « Les histoires régimentaires: quels apports à l'histoire militaire? ». For information, contact the Chair at chaire-hector-fabre@uqam.ca.

15 November 2006

The Centre for Foreign Policy Studies, Dalhousie University, is inviting Jerome Davis to discuss on "Russia's Natural Gas Weapon." For more information, contact Dave Perry at dgperry@dal.ca.

17 November 2006

Mr. Frédéric Lasserre, Professor at the department of geography at the Université Laval, and Director of the *Observation de Recherches Internationales sur l'Eau* and fellow at the *Institut québécois des Hautes Études internationales*, in collaboration with the *Programme Paix et sécurité internationale*, organizes a colloquium entitled « Changements climatiques et ouverture de l'Arctique : quels impacts stratégiques pour le Canada? ». This event is taking place at the Université Laval. For more information, contact Mr. Lasserre at frederic.lasserre@gqr.ulaval.ca.

21 November 2006

The United Nations Association in Canada is holding a seminar "From Responsibility to Protect to the New Peacebuilding Commission" in Ottawa. For more information visit www.unac.org

22 November 2006

The Centre for Foreign Policy Studies, Dalhousie University, is inviting Patrick Lennox to speak on "North American Security Post 9/11." For more information, contact Dave Perry at dgperry@dal.ca.

29 November 2006

The Centre for Foreign Policy Studies, Dalhousie University, is inviting David Griffiths to discuss on "Confidence Building Across the Taiwan Strait." For more information, contact Dave Perry at dgperry@dal.ca.

Recent & Upcoming Publications

"Changing Concepts of Security: The Implication for Civil-Military Relations and Defence Policy in Brazil." For information, please contact Beatrice Gill at bjgill@exchange.ubc.ca.



"Language Matters: Security Discourse and Civil-Military Relations in Brazil". For information, please contact Beatrice Gill at bigill@exchange.ubc.ca



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The Canadians in Northwest Europe
1944-1945

TERRY COPP
Author of *Fields of Fire*

**"Cinderella Army" by
Terry Copp, Director of
the Laurier Centre for
Military, Strategic and
Disarmament Studies**

Cinderella Army details the story of operations carried out by the First Canadian Army in the last months of the Second World War, and extends the argument that the achievement of the Allied armies has been greatly underrated while the effectiveness of the German army has been greatly exaggerated. Copp supports this with research conducted on numerous trips to the battlefields of France, Belgium, Holland, and Germany. For more information contact Brandey Barton at brandey.barton@gmail.ca or Wilfrid Laurier at (519) 884-0710, ext. 2080

Bell, Colleen and Tina Managhan (Eds.), 2006, *Exceptional Measures for Exceptional Times: The State of Security Post 9/11*, Selected Proceedings of the Thirteenth Annual Conference of the Centre for International and Security Studies. Please contact yciss@yorku.ca for more information.

Busser, Mark, *The Evolution of Security: Revisiting the Human Nature Debate in International Relations*, YCISS Working Paper No. 40, August 2006. Please contact yciss@yorku.ca for more information.

Griffiths, Ann, Ed. *Global Perspectives on Oil and Security*. Halifax, NS: Centre for Foreign Policy Studies, forthcoming November 2006. For more information please contact centre@dal.ca.

Mérand, Frédéric, "Social Representations in the European Security and Defence Policy", *Cooperation & Conflict* 41(2), 131-152. Please contact gersi@umontreal.ca for more information.

Martin, Pierre, "The Rise of Services "Offshoring" and Its Policy Implications in North America," *Canadian Foreign Policy / La politique étrangère du Canada* 12 (Winter 2006). Please contact gersi@umontreal.ca for more information.

Morton, Desmond, "Letter from Normandy: revisiting D-day in both languages", *Policy Options*, July-August 2006. for more information, please contact gersi@umontreal.ca

Jacoby, Tami Amanda, "Third Party Involvement in the Arab-Israeli Conflict: A Role for Canada." *Bison Paper Series*, August 2006. This report is drawn from the second of a three-stage project co-sponsored by the Arthur V. Mauro Centre for Peace and Justice, University of Manitoba; the Centre for Defence and Security Studies, University of Manitoba; and the Harry S. Truman Institute for the Advancement of Peace, Hebrew University of Jerusalem. Published by the Centre for Defence and Security Studies, University of Manitoba. Copies of this Report are available by contacting the Centre at cdssum@cc.umanitoba.ca.

Ortis, Cameron, Centre of International Relations Research Associate and recent PhD graduate, with a thesis entitled: "Bowling to Quirinus: Compromised Nodes and Cyber Security in East Asia." For information, please contact Beatrice Gill at bigill@exchange.ubc.ca.

Owen, John, a Centre of International Relations Visiting Scholar from the University of Virginia, "In Search of Soft Power, Four Cases, Past and Present." For information, please contact Beatrice Gill at bigill@exchange.ubc.ca.

Wilner, Alexandre and Riley Hennessey (Eds.), *Revolution or Evolution: Emerging Security Threats in the 21st Century* (Halifax, N.S.: Centre for Foreign Policy Studies, October 2006). Please contact centre@dal.ca for more information.

Zahar, Marie-Joelle, "Political Violence in Peace Processes : Voice, Exit and Loyalty in the Post-Accord Period" in John Darby (editor). *Violence and Reconstruction. Volume 1, Research Initiative on the Resolution of Ethnic Conflict Series*. Southbend, Illinois : Notre Dame University Press. Please contact gersi@umontreal.ca for more information.



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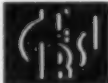
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New Faces in the SDF Community

Avery Poole is currently working for Brian Job, Director of the Centre of International Relations, University of British Columbia, as a graduate research assistant. In a few weeks, she will be attending the annual APSA conference and will be presenting a paper entitled: "Cooperation in Contention: The Evolution of ASEAN Norms".

Your SDF: T.V. Paul, New Director REGIS

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Research Group
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T.V. Paul, professor at McGill University is the new director of the Research Group in International Security (REGIS) at the Université de Montréal and McGill University. He is replacing Michel Fortmann. Alexandre Carette assisted the director for many years. Stéphanie von Hlatky and Antoine Vandemoortele, doctoral candidates in political science at the Université de Montréal, are the new coordinators for the Group. For more information please visit www.mcgill.ca/regis/regis.html

Dr. Carol McQueen has joined the Centre for Security and Defence Studies, Carleton University, as Research Associate. Carol is a graduate of Concordia and Oxford University (Ph.D.), where she was a Rhodes Scholar. She currently works with Foreign Affairs Canada as a Policy Analyst with the Peacebuilding and Conflict Prevention Group, focusing mainly on the African Great Lakes Region. Carol arrived in Ottawa after serving several years as a Political Affairs Officer with the UN Peacekeeping Mission in the Democratic Republic of Congo. Her book, *Humanitarian Intervention and Safety Zones: Iraq, Bosnia and Rwanda*, was published last spring by Palgrave/Macmillan. Her article on MONUC and the Democratic Republic of Congo appears in the *Annual*

Review of Global Peacekeeping (Lynne Rienner, 2006). Carol will be giving a talk at the Centre on Nov. 1: "Making the Democratic Republic of Congo Safe: MONUC and the robust use of force in UN Peacekeeping Operations."

Dr. Laura Stovel recently joined the Centre for Security and Defence Studies, Carleton University, as Research Associate. Laura is a specialist in reconciliation after mass atrocity, post-conflict transitions, post-colonial conflicts, comparative conflict analysis, and restorative justice. Her regional focus is Africa. In her most recent research, she investigated the reconciliation process in post-war Sierra Leone and followed the Truth and Reconciliation Commission. Laura recently completed her Ph.D. in sociology at Simon Fraser and is currently teaching in the Conflict Studies program at St. Paul University, in Ottawa.

Jocelyn Coulon, director of the *Réseau francophone sur les opérations de paix* (www.operationspaix.net), joined the *Groupe d'étude et de recherche sur la sécurité internationale*. With the GERSI, he has launched « l'Année Pearson (2006-2007) » to commemorate the 50th anniversary of peacekeeping. He will also give classes on peace operations in summer 2007.

Jonathan Havercroft joined the Centre of International Relations, University of British Columbia, in September 2006 as the new Security & Defence Forum (SDF) Post-doctoral Fellow. Previously, he was a sessional instructor in the Department of Political Science at the University of Victoria.

Kai Michael Kenkel, currently the Security and Defence Post-doctoral Fellow, will be extending his stay with the Centre of International Relations, University of British Columbia, and will be engaged in research activities in addition to teaching courses in the Department of Political Science.

LGen (Ret) Ken Pennie, recently retired Chief of Air Staff and former Deputy Commander-in-Chief of NORAD, has joined the Centre for Security and Defence Studies, Carleton University, as Senior Research Fellow. He was also appointed to the University of New Brunswick's Greeg Centre National Council.

Lorenz Luthi, professor at the department of history at the McGill University joins the *Groupe d'étude et de recherche sur la sécurité internationale*. He is completing a book on « le schisme sino-soviétique entre 1956 et 1966 ». His works are based on the international relations history and relations between great powers during the 1960s and 1970s.



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Margaret Purdy, previously the Special Advisor to the Deputy Minister of Transport in the Deputy Minister's Office joined the Centre of International Relations, University of British Columbia, as a visiting scholar in early September. Margaret plans to engage in research projects centered around Canada-US relations in a post 9/11 world, in addition to "homeland" security.

Veronica Kitchen will be joining the Centre of International Relations, University of British Columbia, as a post-doctoral SSHRC Fellow. She is currently at Brown University, having completed her PhD, and her research interests include Canada-US Relations.

Your SDF: Joan Broussard



Joan Broussard is the Administrative Officer of York University's Centre for International and Security Studies, and has been with the Centre since 1998.

As part of a three person staff, Joan's responsibilities focus on the financial and administrative management of the Centre. A typical day can involve budget administration, reporting to donors, and keeping the YCISS website up to date. YCISS provides Joan the opportunity to interact with graduate students and faculty on a daily basis.

